Mr. M. S. Doraswami Aiyangar: It is not even one year since the Thottapalli bridge was constructed. We should wait at least for one or two years more.

Laws passed under Section 40 of the Legislative Reforms Act.

68. *Mr. Kochikal P. Balakrishnan Tampi: Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a year-war statement showing the names and number of laws passed under Section 40 of the Legislative Reforms Act II of 1108?

Mr. Puthupalli S. Krishna Pillai (*Legal Remembrancer to Government*): The statement is laid on the table.

Rice Mills in the State.

69. *Mr. G. Narayana Aiyar: Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing:

(*a*) the number of the rice mills in the State which were working in 1113 or 1114;

(b) the total quantity of paddy milled in those mills in 1113 or 1114; and

(*c*) the number of persons in the State who were engaged in hand-pounding rice who were thrown out of employment by the existence of the mills in 1113?

Mr. C. Kumara Das (*Director of Industries*):

(*a*) Trivandrum Division—25 in 1113.
Quilon Division—97 in 1113.
Kottayam Division—146 in 1113.

(*b*) Trivandrum Division—720,000 paras in 1113.
Quilon Division—1,502,289 paras in 1113.
Kottayam Division—764,939 paras in 1113.

(*c*) information not available.

Mr. G. Narayana Aiyar: In regard to part (c) may I know from the member whether Government made any attempt to get the information?

Mr. C. Kumara Das: Attempts have been made for collecting the information regarding the number of people who were thrown out of employment.

President: How is that to be done?

Mr. C. Kumara Das: The Proverthicars have been asked to furnish the information.

*Vide Appendix IV—page 214.

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